

GODPARENT CERTIFICATE FOR BAPTISM

BAPTISM INFORMATION

Please Print

Child's Full Name

Parent/Guardian Name(s)

Date of Baptism

Church of Baptism

GODPARENT'S COMMITMENT

As a practicing Catholic, I appreciate that being a godparent is an important opportunity for me to witness to my faith and to be a good example of Catholic life to my godchild. I have conscientiously considered what I have been asked to do. I promise with God's help to be the best sponsor I can be.

Therefore, I now affirm that

- ❖ I am at least 16 years old
- ❖ I have completed my own Christian initiation through the reception of the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, and if married, have been validly married in a Catholic Church.
- ❖ I am a registered member of a Catholic parish
- ❖ I will continue to be a model of Catholic living for my godchild, through daily prayer, virtuous living and active participation in parish life and liturgy, particularly weekly Sunday Mass.
- ❖ I will try to maintain a consistent and life-giving relationship of faith with my godchild by doing such things as celebrating significant moments such as the anniversary of the Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation and graduation, and supporting my godchild in his or her own struggles and triumphs of living a Christian life.

Print name of Godparent

Signature of Godparent

Date of Commitment

If you are NOT a member of St. Paul, St. Edward or St. George parishes, please have your pastor complete the following:

PASTOR'S PERMISSION TO BE A GODPARENT

The person signed above is a member of this parish and to the best of my knowledge is capable of assuming the duties of sponsorship for the Sacrament of Baptism and is sincere in the promises stated above.

Signature of Pastor or Delegate

Print Name

PARISH SEAL

Parish Name

Address, City, State, Zip